

# 2005

## Donald L. Scantlebury Memorial Award

for Distinguished Leadership in  
Financial Management Improvement

**T**he Joint Financial Management Improvement Program is a cooperative undertaking of the U.S. Office of Management and Budget (OMB), Department of the Treasury, Office of Personnel Management (OPM), and Government Accountability Office, to improve financial management throughout the government. The JFMIP Principals are:

Joshua B. Bolten, Director, OMB

John W. Snow, Secretary of the Treasury

Linda M. Springer, Director, OPM

David M. Walker, Comptroller General of the United States

Since 1971, the JFMIP Principals have sponsored an annual award program to recognize senior financial management executives who, through outstanding and continuous leadership in financial management, have been principally responsible for significant economies, efficiencies and improvements in federal, state or local government. In 1981, the award was designated as the Donald L. Scantlebury Memorial Award in honor of the Chief Accountant of the General Accounting Office and the Chairman of the JFMIP Steering Committee.



## Awards Presentation

The JFMIP Principals will present the awards on March 10, 2006 at the Federal Financial Management Conference in Washington, D.C.

## Eligibility

All federal, state, or local government employees who are senior executives and have demonstrated outstanding distinguished leadership, resulting in effective financial management improvements over the years are eligible to be nominated. Nominees from small entities with fewer than 2,000 full-time employees will receive every consideration if they meet the selection criteria. Previous nominees may be renominated provided they meet the other provisions of this announcement. The nomination should be updated to include the latest achievements of the nominee.

## Selection Criteria

The Awards Committee will base its determinations on two factors: sustained leadership in financial management and specific accomplishments in financial management. For purposes of this award, the term financial management has been interpreted to include, but is not limited to, the following areas: accounting, auditing, information technology, budgeting, asset management, control and allocation of resources, cost reduction, financial analysis, financial systems development, management analysis, planning, productivity measurement and improvements, and financial and performance reporting. In addition, sustained leadership in financial management includes a focus on addressing management responsibilities that lead to better financial performance. The Awards Committee will give substantial weight to sustained, high-quality leadership in financial management over the years considering:

1. Long-term or lasting benefit of the nominee's accomplishments and/or exemplary leadership on the efficiency, effectiveness, and economy of government operations.
2. Measurable improvements in financial management technology or methodology resulting from the nominee's accomplishments.
3. Innovation of the nominee's accomplishments.
4. The impact of the nominee's accomplishments on government financial management policies and practices.
5. The impact of the nominee's accomplishments on the agency's financial management as a result of improving human capital management.
6. The extent to which the improvements would have been impossible or significantly lessened without the nominee's involvement.

The Awards Committee will also consider a series of specific accomplishments for which the nominee is primarily responsible and where the results can be measured specifically in terms of improvement in service, substantial savings, or significant technological progress adaptable to a wide range of government financial management operations.



## Nomination Procedures

Agencies are encouraged to use incentive awards program channels for solicitation and selection of nominees. No more than three nominations should be submitted from the head of each federal department and independent agency or a high official from state and local governments to:

**Awards Committee**  
**1990 K Street NW, Suite 430**  
**Washington, DC 20006**

Each nomination must include a copy of the nomination form below, a short biographical sketch of the nominee, and a statement of justification for the award. Including the nomination form, the nomination package must not exceed five (5) pages. Submissions must be in English and include five (5) copies of each nomination. Submissions must be received on or before January 6, 2006 to be eligible for consideration. Any nominations received after the closing date will not be considered. For further information, contact Doris Chew, (202) 219-0528, or by email: [doris.chew@gsa.gov](mailto:doris.chew@gsa.gov).

## Scantlebury Memorial Award Nomination

Name of Nominee \_\_\_\_\_

Title \_\_\_\_\_

Agency/Entity \_\_\_\_\_

Business Address \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone Number \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Nominator \_\_\_\_\_

Title \_\_\_\_\_

Agency/Entity \_\_\_\_\_


Business Address \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone Number \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Nominator \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_





## Recent Recipients of the Donald L. Scantlebury Memorial Award

### 2004

**Donald V. Hammond**  
Fiscal Assistant Secretary  
U.S. Department of the Treasury

**James L. Taylor**  
Deputy Chief Financial Officer  
Department of Commerce

**John D. Webster**  
Chief Financial Officer  
Library of Congress

### 2003

**Mark Carney**  
Deputy Chief Financial Officer  
U.S. Department of Education

**Jesse L. Funches**  
Chief Financial Officer  
U.S. Nuclear Regulatory  
Commission

**Barbara Hafer**  
Treasurer  
Commonwealth of Pennsylvania

### 2002

**Dale W. Sopper**  
Deputy Commissioner for  
Finance, Assessment and  
Management and the Chief  
Financial Officer  
Social Security Administration

**Carole E. Stone**  
Budget Director  
State of New York

### 2001

**Larry J. Eisenhart**  
Deputy Chief Financial Officer  
U.S. Department of State

**Jim Petro**  
Auditor of State  
State of Ohio

### 2000

**Lawrence F. Alwin**  
State Auditor of Texas

**Kenneth M. Bresnahan**  
Chief Financial Officer  
Department of Labor

### 1999

**Jorge E. Aponte**  
Director, Office of Management  
and Budget  
Puerto Rico

**N. Anthony Calhoun**  
Deputy Executive Director and  
Chief Financial Officer  
Pension Benefit Guaranty  
Corporation

**Frank W. Sullivan**  
Deputy Assistant Secretary  
for Finance  
Department of Veterans Affairs

### 1998

**Sallyanne Harper**  
Chief Financial Officer  
U.S. Environmental Protection  
Agency

**Edward Renfrow**  
Controller  
State of North Carolina

### 1997

**Debra L. Hines**  
Assistant Commissioner  
Bureau of the Public Debt  
Department of the Treasury

**Lana Hurdle**  
Chief Financial Officer  
Peace Corps

**Mark Murray**  
Director, Department of  
Management and Budget  
State of Michigan

### 1996

**Joseph L. Kull**  
Chief Financial Officer  
National Science Foundation

**James E. Reid**  
Deputy Controller  
Department of Energy

**Edgar A. Vaughn, Jr.**  
State Auditor  
State of South Carolina

### 1995

**D. Mark Catlett**  
Assistant Secretary for  
Management  
Department of Veterans Affairs

**Kurt R. Sjoberg**  
State Auditor  
State of California

### 1994

**Clyde G. McShan II**  
Deputy Chief Financial Officer  
Department of Commerce

**Gordon Crabtree**  
Director of Finance  
Administrative Services  
State of Utah

### 1993

**John Gunyou**  
Commissioner of Finance  
State of Minnesota

**Matthew G. Schwientek**  
Associate Commissioner for  
Financial Policy and Operations  
Social Security Administration

### 1992

**Harvey C. Eckert**  
Deputy Secretary for  
Comptroller Operations  
Commonwealth of Pennsylvania

**Robert W. Gramling**  
Director of Corporate Audits  
General Accounting Office

**James D. Yager**  
Assistant Executive Director,  
Management Services  
South Florida Water  
Management District